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15	Applicant	:	Buckner , Lynn A.
	Application No.	:	10/810908
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20	Title	:	Vacuum Excavation Suction Hose Attachment

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Commissioner:
Please amend the above-identified application as follows:
Please cancel claims 1-9, Claims 10-18 have been added, no new subject matter
has been added, see attachment below.